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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Weather the past week has been generally unfavorable for cotton; it is backward and in poor condition in Texas. —— William Mills, his daughter-in-law and her two sons were drowned at Rutherfordton, N. C. —— The Bank of Fentress county, at Jamestown, Tenn., has failed. —— In a severe electrical storm at Texarkana, Ark., one man was killed, one residence destroyed and two churches struck and badly damaged. —— Admiral Sampson is to be represented by counsel at the Schley court of inquiry. —— Diplomatic relations between Turkey and France have been broken off by the latter. —— Severe storm at Eufaula, Ala. —— The Raymond Banking Co., Austin, Texas, is bankrupt. —— Affairs on the isthmus continue quiet. —— Shamrock II. is called a wonderful boat by yachting experts. —— A number of people injured in the wreck of a passenger train on the Southern near Danville, Va. —— N. Y. markets: Money on call steady at 2½@3 per cent., the last loan being at 2½ per cent.; cotton quiet; middling uplands 8¼c; flour quiet; wheat—spot firm, No. 2 red 77c; corn—spot strong, No. 2 60½c at elevator; oats—spot firmer, No 2 38½c; rosin quiet; spirits turpentine quiet.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Aug. 27.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 74 degrees; 8 P. M., 77 degrees; maximum, 84 degrees; minimum, 69 degrees; mean, 76 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, 6.08 inches.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 17.8 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

No important temperature changes have occurred. Scattered rains are reported from nearly all districts.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—For North Carolina—Occasional showers Wednesday and probably Thursday; light to fresh easterly winds.

Port Almanac—August 28.

Sun Rises	5.28 A. M.
Sun Sets	6.33 P. M.
Day's Length	13 H. 5 M.
High Water at Southport	5.55 A. M.
High Water Wilmington	8.15 A. M.

Expansion comes high, even in our towns. Since New York has expanded into Greater New York it takes $98,096,413 to run the machine.

A contemporary asks: "Is Hanna a candidate?" If he is he will not own up, but he is keeping his weather eye on Mr. Roozeveltee all the samee.

It is apprehended that when the Czar of Russia arrives in Paris, the Anarchists may vary the programme for his entertainment by injecting some bombs, etc., into it.

The audience in a Paris theatre witnessed something not on the bills Saturday night, when an actress making her debut was overcome by stage fright and dropped dead on the stage.

Gov. Geer, of Oregon, refused to allow his admirers to buy a fine house for him on the ground that he could't afford to furnish a fine house and live in corresponding style on $1,500 a year.

Some of the Cuban girls who have been taking a Summer course at Harvard say they have learned more English from the students than from the professors. We don't doubt it. They probably practiced more with the students.

Farmer Haskins, near Dublin, Ga., has a ten-acre patch of cotton from which he expects to get fifteen bales. If that were the rule in the South, instead of three acres to one bale, there might be some money in growing cotton.

Li Hung Chang is always running up against trouble. He has been stripped several times of his yellow jackets, peacock feathers, &c., and now a lot of Chinamen insist that he be divested of these and also his cue, with his head thrown in.

Whether farming pays or not depends a good deal on the man. Mr. Pope Brown, of Georgia, who began business as a farmer on rented land, now owns six thousand acres, and every dollar with which he paid for it came out of the farms. He can go on pic-nics now when he feels like it and pay his own way.

A Worcester, Mass., physician says the Irish potato famine is a blessing in disguise, as it will teach people that they can get along without the I. p., which he says hasn't any nutriment in it anyway. While they stand at $2 a bushel they will not have much nutriment in them for us.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. Earl Gore left yesterday to enter Wake Forest.

— Mr. R. C. Orrell left yesterday for several days' visit to Richmond, Va.

— Deputy Collector C. M. Babbitt, of the Internal Revenue Service, arrived in the city yesterday.

— Mr. M. H. Curran returned yesterday from a visit to New York. He came on the Clyde steamship *Saginaw*.

— Dr. W. D. McMillan has been sick at Sloop Point for several days but expects to return to the city tomorrow.

— Mr. H. C. McQueen got home yesterday from Saratoga, where he has been spending several weeks very pleasantly.

— Mr. J. B. King will leave this morning for New York on business connected with the Stimpson Computing Scale Company.

— Miss Jennie Bell Hines and Miss Eliza Faison, of Faison, N. C., returned home yesterday after a very pleasant visit to Mr. P. Heinsberger.

— Miss Marrie Winberley and Miss Annie Blount left yesterday after several months' visit to Mrs. L. Vernon Carroll, for Atlanta, Ga., to visit friends before returning to their homes in Macon and Brunswick, Ga.

SOUTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH.

Officers of the Congregation and Sunday School Elected Monday Night.

At the annual conference of Southside Baptist church, held Monday night, August 26th, the following officers were elected to serve the church for one year, from September 1st:

Clerk—J. F. Littleton.
Treasurer—J. F. Baggett.
Organist—Mrs. J. F. Baggett.
Assistant Organist—Miss Ethel Thayer.
Ushers—J. F. Baggett, D. E. Costen, L. W. Baggett and L. W. Colwell.
Pool Committee—J. H. Holton and John Thomas.
Finance Committee—J. H. Curtis, John Thomas and Wm. Devanne, with the deacons and treasurer.
Collectors—E. Z. Milton, Harry Thomas, J. D. Bender and L. W. Baggett.
Committee on Communion Service—R. B. Brown.
Treasurer of Mission and Poor Fund—E. Z. Milton.
Treasurer of Building Fund—J. F. Littleton.
Chorister—J. S. Canady.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS.

Superintendent—J. S. Canaday; assistant, R. B. Moore.
Secretary and Treasurer—Harry Thomas; assistant, John W. Brown.
Librarian—Charles Devanne; assistant, D. E. Costen.
Organist—Miss Ethel Thayer; assistant, Mrs. J. F. Baggett.

A Mosquito Story.

The champion heavy weight mosquito story of the season comes from Onslow county. It is told by a gentleman of this city who is just back from a trip over there. He says that recently a mule in that section of country was bitten by a rattlesnake and the animal taken to the swamp apparently dead. The ubiquitous mosquito soon discovered the body, the word was passed around among the mosquito family and they collected there in teeming millions. They drew all the blood from the animal which was so impregnated with the poison of the snake that one by one the winged pests dropped dead from the body and when a large portion of the blood had been extracted, the mule got up and returned to his owner's farm house. Where the body lay—to make the story complete—an inch of dead mosquitos as found on the ground. It is a mosquito story, with the accent upon the story.

Mr. DeRosset Will Go to New York.

Mr. F. N. DeRosset, secretary to Mr. Horace M. Emerson, general freight and passenger agent of the A. C. L., has resigned that position and expects to leave early next week for New York, where he will take a position in the office of Mr. W. W. Fuller, general counsel of the American Tobacco Company.

Regatta Carolina Yacht Club.

The postponed regatta of the Carolina Yacht Club will be sailed over the Banks' channel this afternoon at 4 o'clock. A large number of entries are expected. Among those not given previously is the yacht *Emma*, which will be sailed by Dr. George C. Worth.

Will Open Saloon.

Mr. J. E. Hinnant is interested in a saloon and up-to-date restaurant which will be opened soon, it is understood, in the old Atlantic National Bank building on Princess street, two doors east of the office of the Southern Express Company. Fixtures are already being placed in the building.

— Archie Garrett, a well known and highly respectable colored man of this city, died suddenly yesterday. He was in the service of the firms of Williams & Murchison and Murchison & Co. for many years, and more recently was porter at the Murchison National Bank.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

S. P. McNair—New goods.
Munroe and Kelly—Pay for half.
Warren's Cafe—Something to offer.
The People's Savings Bank—To-day is the time.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

J. F. Rulfs—House for rent.
Wanted—Board and lodging.
Wanted—Hands to clear land.

RIVERS AND HARBORS

Wilmington Chamber of Commerce Elected Delegate to Baltimore Congress.

MR. H. G. SMALLBONES NAMED

Purpose of Meeting is to Secure Favorable Legislation to Government Improvement—Two New Members Admitted—Other Notes.

When Mr. Carter, of Colorado, stood upon the floor of the Senate last Spring and performed the wonderful feat of talking for a couple of days or more and bringing death to the river and harbor appropriation bill then pending in Congress, he perhaps did not realize that he was bringing upon himself the odium of perhaps the commercial people of every seaport in the United States, which have suffered the consequences of his nerbosity in the shape of a practical cessation of all harbor improvements.

So very general has been the bad effect of cutting off the appropriation that a National River and Harbor Congress has been called to meet in Baltimore on Oct. 8th and 9th, to prevent a repetition of the performance of Mr. Carter in the last Congress and to secure legislation favorable to the improvement of harbors and rivers throughout the country. Of course in this Wilmington is deeply interested, for she has already seen the ill effects of a non-appropriation and yesterday at noon the Chamber of Commerce of this city met in its rooms in the Seaboard Air Line building for the purpose of assuring her sister ports of her hearty co-operation in the movement and for the purpose of electing a delegate to the Baltimore congress.

The meeting was called to order by President M. W. Jacobi and those in attendance were Capt. T. D. Meares, first vice president, Col. Jno. L. Cantwell, secretary and treasurer; Messrs. W. E. Worth, H. A. Burr, Oscar Pearsall, F. L. Huggins, H. G. Smallbones, John H. Brown, P. Pearsall, Andrew Smith, E. D. Williams and S. F. Craig.

After stating the object of the meeting the President asked that circulras be read from the executive committee of the congress and from the New Orleans Board of Trade in reference to the matter in hand. This was done and a general discussion in approval of the objects of the congress was had. This was participated in by Messrs. W. E. Worth, H. G. Smallbones, Capt. E. D. Williams and Capt. T. D. Meares.

After discussion, upon motion of Mr. W. E. Worth, Mr. H. G. Smallbones was elected as delegate to the congress, and it was ordered that all expenses of his trip be paid by the Chamber.

The secretary was instructed to notify the executive committee of its purpose to send a delegate.

Messrs. W. J. Penny & Co. and J. T. King, A. C. L. city freight agent, were unanimously elected to membership in the Chamber.

Suit Against Western Union.

The case of W. L. Webb against the Western Union Telegraph Company for damages in the sum of $50 for the alleged tardy delivery of a message summoning a veterinary surgeon was called in Justice Fowler's court yesterday morning and continued until September 10th, upon motion of defendant's counsel, Bellamy & Peschau. The plaintiff was represented by L. V. Grady, Esq. The particulars of the case have already been given in these columns.

Voluntary Bankruptcy.

A. R. Wilson, postmaster and merchant at Dunn, N. C., yesterday filed in the United States Court here a petition in voluntary bankruptcy. The instrument was entered by his attorneys, McLean & Clifford, and the assets are given as $935; liabilities $6,698.60. Among the creditors are Mr. R. N. Sweet, of Wilmington, $73.05, and the Cape Fear Manufacturing Company, of Wilmington, $52.15.

Mr. C. H. Fore to Wed.

Mr. Francis M. Fitts, of Macon, N. C., has issued invitations to the marriage of his daughter, Miss Sarah Palmer, to Mr. Charles H. Fore, of this city, Tuesday morning, September 10th, at 10 o'clock, in the Methodist Episcopal church, Macon, N. C. They will be at home after October 1st, at No. 212 North Fifth street.

An Excursion To-night.

The excursion on the steamer *Wilmington* under the auspices of the N. N. S. Society of Fifth Street M. E. church to-night promises exceedingly well. The trip will be to the "Rocks" and return and the fare will be only 25 cents for the round trip. The boat leaves at 7:45 o'clock and will return about 11 o'clock.

Excursion Friday Night.

Ladies interested in the improvements being made at the Y. M. C. A. building will run an excursion to Fort Fisher and return on the steamer *Wilmington* Friday night. The boat will leave at 7:45 o'clock. The proceeds will go towards buying furnishings for the new Y. M. C. A. parlors.

Championship Basket Ball.

Champion basket ball teams from the Naval Reserves and Boys' Brigade of this city, will play a game at Southport upon the occasion of the Labor Day celebration next Monday. A silver loving cup will be the prize.

INJURED IN A RUNAWAY.

Messrs. R. F. Rising and R. L. Piver Were Thrown From a Buggy Last Night.

Mr. Richard F. Rising, the well known tinner, No. 13 Dock street, and Mr. R. L. Piver, his son-in-law, were painfully but not seriously injured last night about 9 o'clock by being thrown from a buggy in a runaway at Third and Dock streets. Rising was thrown against the stone curbing and had two ribs broken on his right side. His back was also sprained and he suffered a severe contusion on the shoulder and back. Piver was thrown against a post on the corner and sustained only a scalp wound.

Mr. Rising was driving a horse attached to a buggy in which he had gone to the sound in the afternoon. The outfit was hired from Messrs. Orrell & Carroll and was being driven back to the stables when the runaway occurred. At the corner the buggy overturned and the horse fell. Capt. W. P. Monroe and Ladderman Marshal Kerman at the Hook and Ladder hall heard the cries of the men when they were thrown to the ground and hurried to the scene. They caught the horse, which suffered slight injuries by falling, and hurriedly took the men to the hook and ladder station, where Dr. A. H. Harris attended Rising and Drs. W. E. Storm and Jos. C. Shepard sewed up the wound in Piver's scalp. Later the men were sent to their homes in the city patrol wagon.

THE ELKS' FAIR AND CARNIVAL.

Rates Expected From Railroads To-day. Details of Arrangement Progressing.

The Transportation Committee for the Elks' fair and carnival in October expect to hear from the several railroads to-day as to the passenger rates they will offer for Wilmington's forthcoming big gala week, and there is ample reason to believe that the reply will be in every way favorable to the enthusiastic members of the antlered tribe who have made their plans for the fair elaborate and practical. Meanwhile the soliciting committee has been doing some desultory work in the way of canvassing for subscriptions, and is very much encouraged, but work in dead earnest will be begun along this line when the railroad rates and the consequent filling of the town with people are announced.

Four bands will be here for the fair and every day new features are being added. One of these will be a ghost parade by the local lodge of Elks at one minute past 12 o'clock Thursday morning. Outside manufacturers are applying for space in the carnival, and in the words of Dr. Tom Carroll, who is at the head of the "department of publicity," otherwise known as the advertising committee, "it is a good thing; push it along."

FUNERAL OF KEITH CALDER.

Held Yesterday Afternoon From Late Residence With Interment in Oakdale Cemetery—Military Honors.

The funeral of the late Edward Keith Calder was held from the residence of his uncle, Mr. Wm. Calder, No. 311 North Third street, yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of the deceased young man. Among the number in attendance was a large delegation of the Wilmington Light Infantry in uniform, Mr. Calder having been a member of the organization and held in very high esteem.

The services were by Rt. Rev. Bishop A. A. Watson, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Tupper, of Atlanta, who is serving as rector of St. James' parish in the absence of the Rev. Mr. Horsfield. From the residence the remains were tenderly borne to St. James' church and later to Oakdale Cemetery, where they were laid to rest. The floral tributes were many and very beautiful, one very pretty design being from the Wilmington Light Infantry.

After the burial with military honors, taps were sounded by the military and the long funeral procession returned to the city.

The pallbearers were Messrs. C. P. Bolles, Jr., Clayton Giles, Jr., Jno. VanB. Metts, John C. James, Robert C. Sloan and Jos. W. Yates.

THE MEARES-BELLAMY CONTROVERSY

There Were No Developments Yesterday, But Various and Sundry Comments.

All the gossip on the streets yesterday was regarding the Meares-Bellamy difficulty on Monday morning, particulars of which were given in this paper yesterday.

Mr. Meares as yet has made no extended statement of his side of the case, but it is understood that the same is in preparation and may be published later. He resents very strongly the published assertion that the encounter was a horsewhipping, and says that proof to the contrary will be forthcoming at the proper time.

There were no prosecutions yesterday nor mention of indictments and the like. The idle population simply spent the day in asking questions and wondering.

Condition of Col. Latimer.

The STAR regrets to learn of the serious illness of Col. E. S. Latimer, who returned to the city day before yesterday from a Northern sanitarium, where he was being treated for dropsy. Several times yesterday his life was despaired of, but last night he was resting very well. Members of the family have been summoned to his bedside.

GIANTS AT NEWBERN

Defeated the Soft Shells by Close Score of Eight to Seven Yesterday Afternoon.

LARGELY A SLUGGING MATCH

Allen Was Hit More Freely Than Gettig Who Had Five Errors Behind Him, While "Tacks" Had Only Two. Attendance 800.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

NEWBERN, N. C., August 27.—The Wilmington league team defeated Newbern here to-day by a score of 8 to 7. There was heavy batting on both sides and it was a closely contested game.

THE SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	3	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Wilmington	1	0	0	1	1	3	0	2	—	8	10	2
Newbern	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	—	7	14	5

Batteries—Allen and Thackara; Gettig and Surles. Time, 1.35. Umpire, Stevens. Attendance, 800.

The same clubs play tomorrow.

KINSTON, N. C., Aug. 27.—With the help of Stocksdale and Legrande of the Turtles, the Kinston Amateurs made it a very lively game for the "Tar Babies" to-day but they were unable to recover from a bunching of errors in the first inning. Both pitchers were in fine form and very effective. The home team while showing remarkably good work for purely amateurs, were lacking in strength and training. The features of the game were a three bagger by Legrande and a specular running catch by Suggs in left field for Kinston. Stocksdale and Legrande endeared themselves to the cranks here by their splendid work and very gentlemanly bearing. The third and last game of the series will be played here to-morrow and Tarboro then goes to Goldsboro for three games.

THE SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Tarboro	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	—	4	8	3
Kinston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	5	4

Batteries: Morrisey and Lehman; Stocksdale and Legrande.

Summary—Bases stolen, Lehman, Morrisey and Jones; two base hits, Weddige; three base hits, Legrande; struck out, by Stocksdale 10, by Morrisey 12; passed ball, Legrande 1. Time of game, 1:20. Umpire, Mr. W. D. Suggs. Attendance, 400.

Newbern Defeated By a Very Narrow Margin.

— Hopkins will be in the box for Wilmington to day.

— The people of the "Athens of North Carolina" are giving the Giants a royal reception.

— The score of 8 to 7 in the first Newbern game guarantees a good attendance for the game to-day.

— The Newbern trip seems to be a paying investment for the Giants. The attendance at the game yesterday was estimated at 800.

— Eight to seven was the exact score of the electoral commission in the Presidential game between Tilden and Hayes in 1876.

— "Tacks" Allen, that irrepressible infant wonder, pitched for the Giants yesterday, and the Newbern boys took 14 hits from his delivery, too.

— It appears that there will be no games here between Wilmington and Tarboro this week, as the latter is scheduled for three games in Goldsboro.

— Pitcher Stewart left yesterday to join the New Orleans team. Transportation was wired him by Manager Abner Powell. His salary will be $300 per month. He will reach New Orleans Friday.

— The horse editor tenders the thanks of Wilmington to the baseball devotees of our sister city for their kind treatment of our team. It is doubly gratifying when contrasted with their awful experience in Raleigh.

— Raleigh's check for Wilmington's half of the gate receipts—not the guarantee—was received last night, and will be divided among the players. The amount is $121 for four games played. Wilmington received no revenue from grand stand fees.

FIRST BALE, NEW CROP COTTON.

Sold at Nine and a Quarter Cents Per Pound at Morven Yesterday.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

MORVEN, N. C., Aug. 27.—Morven received the first bale of new cotton in the State to-day. Was sold by Mr. Preston Ratcliffe, weighed 589 pounds, and was sold for nine and a quarter cents. The first bale in the State has hitherto been sold at Morven or Wadesboro, but more frequently at Morven. The cotton graded strict middling.

Excursions Yesterday.

Nearly another thousand excursionists were on Wilmington's streets and at the beaches again yesterday. Hatch Brothers brought down a party of 420 from Goldsboro and about the same number came on a special train from Marion, S. C. Both trains were taken straight through to Wrightsville, returning to the city in the afternoon and leaving at 8 o'clock last night. Hatch Bros. will bring in another crowd to-day from Williamston, N. C., and still another is scheduled to arrive from Fayetteville.

He Stole An Ox.

A country negro exposed an ox for sale at Fourth street market house yesterday morning, which was recognized by stall keepers as belonging to an old country woman who uses the animal regularly to bring produce to the city. A policeman was informed of the probable theft and started for the negro. The darkey immediately left the city on short notice, and the ox was later restored to the old woman.

FINE STABLES IN NEW YORK.

They Are Being Built for Horses of Col. Murchison and Others.

A New York exchange says: "Several millionaires of this city intend building fine stables for their speedway horses. Henry Allen Jacobs, the architect, has drawn plans for a $75,000 building at Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Forty-first street that will be used jointly for the horses of Colonel Kenneth M. Murchison, who divides his time between here and his noted Orton plantation, in North Carolina, and Mr. Archibald B. Gwathmey, the former Virginian, some of whose fastest horses hail from the Old Dominion. Both are friends of the multi-millionaire Nathan Straus, and their stable will be near the handsome one which the latter well known road driver is soon going to have erected. Stables are being planned by Architect R. H. Hunt to be built on East Eighty-eighth street. Other expensive stables are being contemplated at a cost of from $75,000 to $250,000 each. J. B. Haggin, the California Croesus, intends to have his within easy distance of the speedway, while others who are thinking of providing adequate accommodations for their fast trotters and pacers are C. K. G. Billings, W. H. Moore and D. G. Reid.

COLORED MERCHANT IN TROUBLE.

Trial Near Kerr, Sampson County, for the Larceny of Turpentine.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

KERR, N. C., Aug. 27.—At a trial near Kerr last evening before Justice W. W. Newkirk, Lark Newton, colored, was tried for the larceny of a lot of turpentine belonging to Mr. J. W. S. Robinson and W. H. Murphy, a colored merchant, was thought to be accessory to the crime. Both were required to give bond for their appearance at the Fall term of Superior Court in this county, and in default of bail they were sent to jail in Clinton, N. C.

DIED.

HEMPEL—August 26th, 1901, at Plainfield, N. J., Mrs. MARY ELIZA HEMPEL, widow of the late Dr. Charles Hempel, of Grand Rapids, Mich. Her maiden name was Cogshell and her first husband was the late John Calder of this city.

PRICE—In this city yesterday at 4 P. M., WILLIAM E. PRICE, son of G. W. Price, Jr.

Funeral this (Wednesday) afternoon at 4 o'clock from residence, No. 710½ North Fifth street, between Brunswick and Hanover, to Christ's Congregational Church, thence to cemetery.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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25c a pound,

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LIVERPOOL SALT.

$945.16 in Liverpool Salt,
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$460.11 in American Salt,
$ 76.40 in Rock Alum Salt,
$110.49 in Pocket Salt,
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$475.16 in Favorite Flour,
$ 70.11 in Brooms,
$110.16 in Water Buckets,
$ 78.65 in N. C. Hams.

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Portuendo' Chicos, Royal Blue Cubanas

N. B.—We have a few jobs in Tobacco to be closed out.

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WHEAT BRAN,
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Great Remnant Sale.

Commencing Monday, August 26, 7 A. M.

One of the largest Dry Goods Houses in New York have just closed out to us their entire stock of short pieces Satins, Percales, Outings, Sheetings, Cashmeres, Calicoes, Lawns, Dimities, Ducks, Piques, Dennins, Ginghams, Silk, etc., at half real value.

The most magnificent bargains can be obtained by visiting us this week.

J. H. REHDER & CO.'S
BIG DEPARTMENT STORE.

Remnants.....Remnants.

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TO-DAY IS THE TIME TO DO.

Begin to save now, do not put it off until to morrow or next day something might happen to prevent you if you delay. Money deposited with us now draws 4 per cent. from September 1st.

OUR MOTTO: Safety, courtesy, promptness, liberality. We solicit your account.

The People's Savings Bank,

Opposite the Postoffice.

H. C. McQUEEN, President. JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Vice President.
aug 20 tf F. W. DICK, Cashier.

SEE THE SHOES

we are selling for $3.00, and your own good judgment will affirm every word we say in their praise.

Three dollars is a price that gives you a pretty wide range of choice in leathers, shapes, and styles, but only one quality—the best.

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MONDAY	A. M. 7.00, 9.15, 11.45	P. M. 1.00, 3.30, 6.00, 8.30	A. M. 7.00	P. M. 12.00 M.
TUESDAY	A. M. 6.00, 9.15, 11.45	P. M. 1.00, 3.30, 6.00, 8.30	A. M. 9.15	P. M. 12.00 M.
WEDNESDAY	A. M. 6.00, 9.15, 11.45	P. M. 1.00, 3.30, 6.00, 8.30	A. M. 9.15	P. M. 12.00 M.
THURSDAY	A. M. 6.00, 9.15, 11.45	P. M. 1.00, 3.30, 6.00, 8.30	A. M. 9.15	P. M. 12.00 M.
FRIDAY	A. M. 6.00, 9.15, 11.45	P. M. 1.00, 3.30, 6.00, 8.30	A. M. 9.15	P. M. 12.00 M.
SATURDAY	A. M. 9.45	P. M. 2.30, 7.00, 9.45	A. M. 9.45	P. M. 2.30
SUNDAY	A. M. 9.45	P. M. 2.30, 7.00, 9.45	A. M. 9.45	P. M. 2.30

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On and after July 13th, 1901, the schedule will be as follows:

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
6 30 A. M.	7 45 A. M.
10 10 A. M.	12 30 A. M.
2 30 P. M.	3 45 P. M.
5 10 P. M.	6 00 P. M.
7 15 P. M.	10 00 P. M.

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Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
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2 30 P. M.	6 00 P. M.
7 15 P. M.	9 00 P. M.

Every Friday and Saturday on account of Hotel and Club House dances extra train will leave Wilmington 11 P. M., the Beach at 12 P. M.

Freight will be carried only on the 10.10 A. M. and 5 P. M. trains, except fresh meats, ice and vegetables, which will be taken on the 6.30 train. No goods will be received unless accompanied by way bills and Freight Prepaid. Freight must be received at our depot 15 minutes before leaving time of train. No exceptions will be made to these rules

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The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD

WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 28.

MR. CHANDLER ON TRUSTS.

Ex-Senator Chandler, of New Hampshire, isn't always in accord with his party and sometimes differs from it on material and vital issues. When he does so he does it openly and in language strong, but he never differs from it enough to pull out of the traces. However much he may differ from it his loyalty to party and obedience to party discipline assert themselves over any individual opinions he may hold, however strong or well grounded these may be.

Some of the strongest pleas made for free silver, and some of the most cutting rebukes to the Republican party for its desertion of silver were made by him in 1896 and again in 1900, when he declared that the sure road to victory for the party was by keeping its obligations and redeeming its pledges to the silver Republicans who supported the party nominees in 1896 on the strength of those pledges. His pleadings had no more effect than the murmurings of the wind, but he supported the party all the same.

He then occupied the unique position of being the only free silver Republican Senator east of the Mississippi. As he was then the only prominent Republican to defend and argue for free silver, he is now the only prominent Republican in the East to denounce trusts and to urge his party to tackle and curb them. He is with Representative Babcock, of Wisconsin, but more aggressive and vigorous in his arraignment and denunciation than Babcock is. He tells the Republican party that unless it responds to popular sentiment and boldly attacks the trusts it runs the risk, and great risk, for defeat, for in his opinion this is now the vital question with the masses of the American people.

He has made the great steel strike the text for a communication in which he defends the strikers and gives a warning to his party, which, by the way, will pay no more attention to his warning than it did to his expostulations against its broken pledges on the silver question. Discussing the strike, he says:

"So we are to have gigantic struggles between vast aggregations of capital and vast bodies of organized laborers. The last are inevitable if the first exist; and are legitimate and justifiable. If all the manufacturers of iron and steel can combine, then all the laborers skilled only in that kind of work have the right to unite in one labor organization and agree that no one will work unless the wages for all are affixed by the organization and assented to by the manufacturers. Neither employes nor laborers have a right to resort to illegal or unfair means; to violence of any sort. But we all know the tendency."

Of course if industrial organizations can combine for their mutual benefit so can workmen combine for their mutual benefit. This is admitted as a priciple, but when it comes to carrying it out in practice then the obstacles present themselves, one of which is the combination, which recognizes the combination of labor until interests clash and then the combination of capital ignores the combination of labor, and refuses to consider it anything more than a combination for talk, parade and recreation. Mr. Chandler foresees trouble ahead unless organized capital comes down from its stilts and recognizes organized labor, trouble ahead not only for the manufacturers and strikers, but for the country and for the party which makes no effort to bring capital and labor together and protect labor from insatiate and oppressive capital. In this he is in accord and perhaps echoes the warnings of Hon. Wayne McVeigh in an address before a bankers' association some months ago. In that address a gigantic struggle was predicted between capital and labor unless the tendency to consolidation by the industrial plants of the country be checked.

But Mr. Chandler has a plan to curb the Trusts, avert the conflict and prevent the wreck of the Republican party. Here it is:

"What is the remedy for the threatening evil? It is easy and sure; the exercise of legislative control over corporation organizations. No abolition of competition in any business can take place through agreements of individuals or parnerships of individuals alone. Corporate powers are indispensable. Bonds and stock must be issued and thrust upon the market. But the Legislatures can decide what shall be the quantities of bonds and stocks, and can limit the business which each corporation may do. Congress can absolutely control the interstate commerce railroads. The State Legislatures can also govern them and all other corporations, and force them back to the ancient ways. The people have the remedy in their own hands; and if the suffrage is not overcome by corruption, fraud or violene, success will attend the coming counter-movement against the twentieth century attempt to revolutionize the laws of production and commerce by organizating huge combinations wealth in the form of corporations, by abolishing competition, by oppressing consumers and laborers, by making the rich enormously richer, while the poor stand still in their poverty, and, above all, by arousing the many poor voters in our republic into a dangerous crusade against the comparatively few rich voters, which will endanger the stability of the republic itself.

"This is the new work for the Republican party, worthy of its reputation. It has abolished slavery, given to every settler a farm on our public lands; established manhood suffrage throughout the nation; saved the Union in the civil war; liberated two races in Cuba and the Orient, and it will continue to be the party of the people and not degenerated into a mere enslaved organization owned by the money power of America and Europe."

This was written after the Republican leaders struck on the device of reciprocity to humbug the people and placate the anti-trust sentiment, and that is about as far as they will ever go in trying to curb the trusts, unless there should be some development that would intensify popular antagonism and strike terror into the party leaders. In that event they might make a pass at the trusts with the hope of saving themselves at the next election. They have no idea of attacking or antagonizing the trusts, for Mark Hanna is a very large part of the Republican party.

Curbing them would be, as Mr. Chandler says, a very easy matter if the State Legislatures and Congress would say so, and mean it, and cooperate, but the trouble is they won't. There is too much money in it to the States which grant liberal charters, as New Jersey and Delaware are doing, and as Connecticut (we believe it is) is also now doing, following the example of Delaware, which followed the example of New Jersey. As soon as a State seriously proposes to restrict trusts it is denounced as opposed to progress and to capital; the trusts threaten to pull out and locate in some more friendly domain, and capital is advised not to risk itself in such an unprogressive State.

The State will never be found with a Republican Legislature which will take these chances, and a Congress will never be found to honestly and bravely tackle the trust enormity until there is one with a good working Democratic majority in it. Until that day comes the trusts will be on top, although Mr. Chandler may continue to deplore their presence and warn his party of the necessity of taking some action against them. But while he may not accomplish much on the lines on which he has started, he is furnishing some very strong reasons why anti-trust Democrats should be elected to Congress and may be thus indirectly helping the cause.

AMERICAN RAILWAYS.

There is in the United States more than one-half the total railroad mileage of the world, and more than in all the countries of Europe combined. This is not surprising, however, when we consider the rapid development of this country, and the great increase in wealth, in both of which railroads have been the main factor. In 1832, (the year in which railroad building began) there were 229 miles of road; in 1840 2,118 miles; in 1850, 9,621; in 1860, 30,626; in 1870, 52,922; in 1880, 93,262; in 1890, 166,703 and in 1900, 193,343. There hasn't been a year in all this time in which more or less new mileage was not laid. This would give an annual average construction since 1832 of nearly 2,840.

The part these roads have played in the development and increase of the wealth of the country is shown by the following table prepared by Mr. Joseph Nimmo of the U. S. Bureau of Satistics.

1850	$ 7,135,780,228
1860	16,159,616,068
1870	30,068,518,507
1880	43,642,000,000
1890	65,037,001,197
Estimated for 1990	94,000,000,000

The roads of the country now represent a capitalization of $12,553,000,000. There is still, and will be for years to come, considerable activity in railroad building, most of which will be in the South and Southwest, which are far from having anything like the mileage needed. The building of one road will stimulate the building of others, as production will increase with the development of the sections through which these new railroads will run, and this, with the increase of population and the increase of industries, will make more business for the railroads.

DISAPPOINTED WOOL GROWERS

It is said that the wool growers of Utah have about $20,000,000 invested in that business, a great many farmers investing in it on the assurance that the protection given by Dingley tariff would increase prices and make the industry a very profitable one. But in this they were disappointed, for wool, which advanced for a while after the tariff went into effect, has been declining for the past two or three years and the growers of Utah and other States didn't get more than 15 cents a pound for last year's clip, with indications that they will not get as much for the clip of this year,

There has already been a movement by some of the wool-growers of the central Western States for a higher tariff and more protection, but this, if they get it, will not help them, for the higher the price of wool the more it will be mixed with cotton and other things, and the more shoddy will be manufactured to take the place of woollen goods. This has already been the case, which accounts in part, at least, for the decline in the price of wool. The higher the tariff on wool the less wool will be manufactured in this country and the higher the price of that which will be manufactured, which, of course, will reduce the demand for that kind of goods. The wealthier class of people who do not mind the price would buy imported goods, so that the high tariff on the manufactured goods will not help either the manufacturer or the wool-grower, but will injure both.

If there were no substitutes for woollen goods it might be different, but while there are such substitutes which resemble woollen goods so closely that it is not easy for the ordinary buyer to tell the difference, and these substitutes sell at less than half the price of the all wool goods, that's the kind the average buyer will buy.

High tariffs may temporarily put prices up, but they can't keep them up, and those who expected to be benefited by them, will in the in the end be the sufferers. In the meantime the public is injured by having a good article put beyond their reach, and imitations, often worthless, palmed off on them.

BOOK NOTICES.

The reader will find the September number of *The Ladies' Home Journal* filled with interesting and valuable reading matter and splendidly illustated. This publication is a home treasure Published by the Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia.

The September number of *St. Nicholas* will be enjoyed by the young readers, who will find it full of interesting matter, beautifully illustrated, by the reading of which they will be not only entertained but instructed. Published by the Century Company, Union Square, New York.

We are under obligations to Mr. G. W. Harper, of Lenoir, author, for a very interesting sketch of the Fifty-eighth Regiment (infantry), North Carolina Troops, showing the honor able part it took in the war between the States. In this work Mr. Harper has paid just tribute to those gallant men, many of whom have passed away, and has rendered valuable service to the State and to history by putting in convenient form for preservation the matter contained in this sketch.

"North Carolina History Stories," is the title of some interesting publications by the Johnson Publishing Company, of Richmond, Va. They are intended for children, the object being to stimulate an interest in the reading of history by presenting it in an entertaining way, so as to make it interesting to the young reader. The stories are based on facts of history but made entertaining for the child by being put in simple story form. They are printed in cheap but good form, on good paper, to put them within the reach of all.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— The rapid advance of cotton, both in the spot and speculative markets, is encouraging both to the holders and growers of cotton. The present indications are that 8½ to 9 cents middling basis will hold for the new cotton shortly to be placed upon the market.—*Mobile Register, Dem.*

—— Our insular possessions are quick to learn continental tunes. Porto Rico and Hawaii, it is noted, produce a superior quality of coffee, but the planters want a duty on foreign imports of the berry. Under existing conditions, they say, "they cannot compete with the cheap labor employed on the plantations of Brazil and Mexico."—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

—— Americans at large will shed few tears if Sir Thomas Lipton should lift the cup. Such an issue of the race, indeed, would serve to give a new and broader significance to future events of the sort. The snobbishness and provincialism shown by the New York Yacht Club, in the Independence matter, has robbed the cup races of all national significance and a victory for the Englishman would give a more wholesome tone to the sport.—*Norfolk Virginian-Pilot, Dem.*

—— Death mowed down 38,138 pensioners last year, and there were 5,403 suspensions of pensions for other reasons; but the alert pension attorneys mustered a new army of 47,792 pensioners, so as to more than make good the ravage of death and disability. Though the civil war was ended thirty-six years ago, the list of pensioners goes on increasing year by year. There are more pensioners on the rolls than there were men in the service at any one time during the great conflict.

— A lady was looking for her husband and inquired anxiously of a housemaid: "Do you happen to know anything of your master's whereabouts?" "I'm not sure, mum, replied the careful domestic, "but I think they're in the wash."—*The Pathfinder.*

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver, of Philadelphia, Pa., was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in the back and sides, and no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying Electric Bitters, and to my great joy and surprise the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents, guaranteed, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

OFFICE OF D. H. HARDY, Sec. of State, AUSTIN, TEX., NOV. 21, 1900.

I have found Dr. Moffett's TEETHINA a splendid remedy and aid for my teething children. When my oldest boy a teething child, every succeeding day warned us that we would inevitably lose him. I happened upon TEETHINA, and began at once administering it to him, and his improvement was marked in 24 hours, and from that day on he recuperated. I have constantly kept it and used it since with my children, and have taken great pleasure in sounding its praises to all mothers of young children. I found it invaluable even after the teething period was passed.

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Dr. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION FOR WEAK WOMEN.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Concord *Standard*: Pink Long, colored, shot and fatally wounded Clem Sutton near Burlington Friday. They were playing cards and a quarrel ensued, which resulted in the shooting.

— Greensboro *Telegram*: The Southern Express Company handled a quantity of very fine looking apples Saturday night. The fruit came from the mountains near Wilkesboro and was sent South. The mountain country towards Wilkesboro produces some very fine fruit.

— Cleveland *Star*: An experienced farmer in Mecklenbury county says he has planted a lot of one acre in lucerne and has found it most profitable. He says one acre will grow enough to feed eight horses during the season without any corn. One sowing will last from ten to twenty-five years, and the land continuing to improve all the while. The greatest difficulty is in getting a stand.

— Roxboro *Courier*: There is right much being said about dismissing criminals upon the payment of costs. Well, if all the districts throughout the State could have Judge Shaw to preside a few times they would see this little farce done away with. His fines at the term here last week were more than we remember to have ever known at one term before, and a State docket at that. He put into the treasury for the school fund $225.00.

— Tarboro *Southerner*: Saturday afternoon a most terrific thunder storm struck town and for an hour or more the rain was incessant and the lightning vivid and frequent. Miss Fryar, an operative in the Tarboro cotton factory, had just come from her work at the mill and was quietly reclining in a chair in the hall of her home, with her head resting against the wall when the lightning struck the house and killed her instantly.

— Raleigh *News and Observer*: Capt. Chas. F. Warren, of Washington, N. C., says the peculiar disease that has been killing so many horses in Hyde and other eastern counties has now reached the lower end of Beaufort county, where mosquitoes were worst during the Summer, and a number of horses having died in that section in the past few days. The disease is reported also in Pamlico, Chatham and Pitt, and hundreds of horses have died of it within the past two or three weeks.

— Charlotte *Observer*: Lee Rogers, colored, was found dead Monday morning near the railroad track a short distance below Asheville. The head of the dead man was badly crushed, and a suspicious circumstance is that his throat was found to be cut from ear to ear. It is not understood how the cut could have been made by a car wheel Rogers is from Old Fort. At the coroner's inquest this afternoon the evidence indicated that Rogers had been murdered. Julius Cauble testified that Rogers could not have been lying in the position in which found if he had been struck by a train.

—— Another tragedy has probably taken place in Buncombe. This time Elbert Buckner, about 24 years old, an inoffensive white man, who lived about 14 miles north of Ashville, was the victim supposed to have met his death by foul play while returning to his home from this city. The man's hat was found Monday afternoon in the French Broad river, about three quarters of a mile below where he was supposed to have forded the river at Sandy Mush and the river is being dragged for the body. Footprints of three men, which were plainly discernible at the ford, together with matted places on the ground where the man had been sitting, and bits of paper strewn around near the river's brink, point out this spot as the scene of a tragedy.

TWINKLINGS

— After the Game—Bucklin—"Did Thornball make a home run today?" Lantz—"No; unfortunately for himself and his poor, waiting wife, he got no further than the first saloon."—*Brooklyn Life.*

— "What a fuss they make about it, grandpa!" "About what, Sally?" "About Daniel going into the lions' den. I guess it must have been the first circus they ever saw."—*Life.*

— Jones—I am never at a loss in conversation. His Fair Hostess—But, surely, Mr. Jones, there must be some subjects you don't understand. What do you do then? Jones—Oh, then—I say anything and look intelligent.—*Baltimore World.*

— Prof. Dabney—Ah, well, love is blind. Miss Penelope—Oh, no, professor, love isn't blind—it is crosseyed; it sees a lot of things it doesn't see, and it doesn't see a lot of things it ought to see.—*Life.*

— Country Policeman—Look at the luck of that Mulrooney! He's been transferred to the mounted police. Friend—What advantage is that? "When there's tronble see how much quicker he can get out of the way than a feller on foot!"—*Tit-Btts.*

— She—How nice to be home again! What a crowd there was. I don't suppose Mr. Baukler knew one-half of his guests. He—Didn't he, though! Why, he had four detectives in evening clothes there.—*Puck.*

— "I hope you appreciate the fact, sir, that in marrying my daughter you marry a large-hearted, generous girl!" "I do, sir" (with emotion) "and I hope she inherits these qualities from her father."—*Tit-Bits*

— Mr. Horse—Great goodness! Where's your pride, Jane? Why don't you hold up your head? Mrs. Horse—Reason enough; these hats we've got on are labelled "Choice for 5 cents." I'll wager they were picked up at some rummage sale.—*Detroit Free Press.*

— Buffalo Not the Only One: Head Meat-Getter—"Good luck this morning, oh king. Here's a Yankee explorer I've captured." King Choo Up Up—"Chuck him in de frying pan wid plenty ob grease—heah's where Lululand has a pan-American."—*Judge.*

That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves, and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist.

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He Is a Dreaded Witness In Murder by Poison Cases.

That prisoner who has to face a charge of murder by poison has no witness against him who is so much to be dreaded as the analytical chemist. In many cases the life or death of the prisoner has depended upon a simple experiment in the laboratory of the chemist. One method of tracing poison is to transform the suspected deposits into crystals and submit them to the powerful scrutiny of the microscope. But that test is successful only where comparatively large doses of poison have been given. In another form of test the grave issue depends upon the color of a fragment of copper foil or the hues of a liquid in a diminutive crystal globe. When arsenic is suspected to be the cause of death, the copper foil experiment is tried. If the result is a dead black deposit the case looks equally black for the prisoner.

Strychnine, when administered in a most minute form, is detected by a subtle process of chemical concentration by means of which the suspected fluids are reduced to a single drop, which is placed in a tiny glass globe. Into this is then dropped a minute particle of potash bichromate. If strychnine is present, the result is a display of changing colors—blue, purple, red and, lastly, a rich mauve tint. These colors are pretty to look at, but they may mean death for the suspected criminal. When opium is suspected to be the cause of death, the fluids are chemically cleansed and then reduced to a drop or two. Nitric acid is first applied, and if morphia is present it is revealed by the drops changing to a lovely carmine hue. Then if sulpho molybdic acid is applied the drops change first to a brilliant magenta color and then to a sky blue.

In spite of all the care and knowledge devoted to chemical analysis in criminal cases mistakes sometimes are made. On one occasion a famous analyst, Professor Tyler, was nearly the unconscious cause of sending an innocent man to the gallows. The professor, after careful experiments, declared that arsenic had been the cause of the death with which the prisoner was charged. The prosecution proved that the prisoner was the only man who possibly could have administered the poison. The man pleaded his innocence in the most frank and pitiable way, but the evidence was against him. He was sentenced to death, and the day of his execution was approaching when Professor Tyler received a letter from the condemned man setting forth his side of the case in such a forcible manner that the professor was induced to reconsider his analysis and make another examination. He found, to his amazement, that the arsenic which he had discovered had been placed in the fluids by himself in the ordinary course of his analysis. He at once confessed his blunder, and the condemned man was saved from the gallows. The difficultics of a chemical analysis may be imagined when it is realized that of some poisons it requires only an infinitesimal amount to produce death. One-tenth of a grain of aconite will kill a powerful man, and of strychnine half a grain is enough to send a man out of this world.—New York Press.

A Dead Face In the Window.

Crockford, the proprietor of a well known London gambling house, was made to play a queer role after he was dead. When one of Crockford's horses was poisoned just before the Derby, the misfortune brought on an attack of apoplexy, which proved fatal within 48 hours. Now, many of Crockford's friends had staked large sums on another of the gambler's horses, which was a favorite for the Oaks and which was disqualified by the death of the owner. Only the people in the gambling house knew of Crockford's death, and it was resolved to keep it a secret until after the race.

The servants were bribed and sworn to secrecy, and the conspirators on the day after the night upon which Crockford died had the body placed in a chair at a window, so that people returning from the track could see the gambler sitting there. He was fixed up to look as lifelike as possible and through the window and partially concealed from view by the curtains looked so natural that no one of the great crowd which came cheering by the house when on their return from seeing Crockford's horse win the Oaks suspected the trick.

The next day it was announced that Crockford was dead, but it was years before the true story leaked out.

Faithful Shepherd Dogs.

A cold spell in Montana killed a sheep herder in the Great Falls district. Two feet of snow covered the range in places, and the thermometer indicated 40 degrees below zero.

The herder was frozen to death on the prairies while caring for the sheep, and it was three days before his fate was known to his employers. Two shepherd dogs were with him when he died, and one of these staid with his body while the other attended to the sheep, just as though the herder had been with him. The dog drove them out on the range in the morning and back again at night, guarding them from wolves and preventing them from straying off. Neither dog had anything to eat during the three days' vigil, so far as could be ascertained, but the 2,500 sheep thrived as well apparently as though directed by human agency. The singular fact about the matter is that these faithful creatures would have starved to death rather than harm one of the sheep left in their charge.—Portland Oregonian.

He Forgave Twain.

Many years ago the Montana club in Helena entertained Mark Twain after a lecture. He met many old friends there and one old enemy. The latter had come all the way from Virginia City, Nev., on purpose to settle an old score. When the glasses were filled and Mark's health proposed, this man interrupted the proceedings by saying: "Hold on a minute. Before we go further I want to say to you, Sam Clemens, that you did me a dirty trick over there in Silver City, and I've come here to have a settlement with you."

There was a deathly silence for a moment, when Mark said in his deliberate drawl: "Let's see. That—was—before—I—reformed, wasn't—it?"

Senator Sanders suggested that inasmuch as the other fellow had never reformed Clemens and all the others present forgive him and drink together, which all did.

One of Her Ways.

"The ways of the female shopper are beyond the ordinary salesman's ken," said a disgusted optician who is in business in the shopping section of the city. "A woman came in here the other day and asked the prices of all kinds and styles of spectacles and eyeglasses known to those in the trade. Finally, after a half hour's quizzing, she rustled out with the remark: 'Thank you, I expect to get a pair of glasses for a birthday present, and I just wanted to know about the prices of them.'"—Philadelphia Record.

A Fated Spot.

About a mile south of the Michigan state line and near Cedar lake, Indiana, is a small spot of land upon which vegetation absolutely refuses to grow. The surrounding soil, though apparently the same, is very productive. The spot is less than 20 feet in diameter and is located in a grove which tradition declares to have been the torture ground of the Bawbeese Indians.

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Pretty

Is an adjective which seems to have become monopolized by the young lady at the typewriter. It is astonishing what an array of beautiful women are found in stores and offices. In fact, the typical American beauty will be found sitting at the typewriter rather than lolling in a carriage in the park.

And yet this pretty young girl needs always to be reminded that "beauty is only skin deep," unless it roots in health. When the health is undermined by womanly diseases, the luster soon passes from the eyes, the cheeks grow thin, the body loses its plumpness.

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The Travels of an Eyelid.

The many thousands of miles which a man unconsciously travels in his lifetime, taking into consideration the paces his footsteps measure as he walks about each day, are enough to make him sit down to rest for the remainder of his life.

But now a German scientist has come forward with some still more startling facts concerning the journeys which our eyelid undertakes every time it winks, and it is not possible for us to see, he says, unless we wink. Unconsciously we wink once a second, so that for the time we are awake during the day we voluntarily wink from 48,600 to 50,000 times and in a year have moved our eyelids down and up again no less than 18,250,000 times. The distance that the eyelid travels in its great speed is measured from a single involuntary wink.

This, the scientist says, is a quarter of an inch both ways, the eyelid moving equally up and down, so that, taking the movement of both eyelids into consideration, they cover some 50,000 inches in a day. The eyelids of a man who has lived for 50 years will have unconsciously traveled a third of the way around the earth, or about 7,200 miles, a calculation sufficient in itself to cause the victim of insomnia to fall into a dreamless sleep as he reads it.—London Mail.

No man is absolutely perfect, but one who acknowledges his faults is more than half way up the ladder.—Chicago News.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT

☞ The following quotations represent Wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.

The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles quoted

BAGGING—			
2 ℔ Jute			7½
Standard	7½	@	8
Burlaps	6	@	6¼
WESTERN SMOKED			
Hams ℔ ℔	12½	@	14
Sides ℔ ℔	9	@	10
Shoulders ℔ ℔	9	@	9½
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ℔ ℔	8½	@	9
Shoulders ℔ ℔	8½	@	8¾
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each	1 35	@	1 45
Second-hand machine	1 35	@	1 45
New New York, each		@	1 50
New City, each		@	1 50
BRICKS—			
Wilmington ℔ M	6 50	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina ℔ ℔	15	@	18
Northern	22	@	26
CORN MEAL—			
Per bushel, in sacks	75	@	77½
Virginia Meal	75	@	77½
COTTON TIES—℔ bundle	1 30	@	1 40
CANDLES—℔ ℔			
Sperm	18	@	26
Adamantine	8	@	17
COFFEE—℔			
Laguyra	11	@	12½
Rio	9	@	11
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard		@	5½
Yarns, ℔ bunch of 5 ℔s		@	9
IRE—			
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel	20 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-bbl.	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ℔ barrel	18 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ℔ half-bbl.	9 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ℔ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	4 50	@	4 75
Mullets, ℔ barrel	8 00	@	9 00
N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 00	@	3 25
Dry Cod, ℔ ℔	6	@	10
Extra	4 00	@	5 00
FLOUR—℔ ℔—			
Low grade	3 00	@	3 25
Choice	3 25	@	3 50
Straights	3 60	@	3 85
First Patent	4 25	@	4 50
GLUE—℔ ℔	8	@	10
GRAIN—℔ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bgs—White	79	@	81
Mixed Corn	77	@	78
Car-load, in bgs—White	53½	@	55
Oats, from store	67½	@	70
Oats, Rust Proof	70	@	80½
Cow Peas	85	@	90
HIDES—℔ ℔—			
Green salted	4	@	5
Dry flint	10	@	11
Dry salt	9	@	10
HAY ℔ 100 ℔s			
No 1 Timothy	1 00	@	1 05
Rice Straw	40	@	50
Eastern	90	@	95
Western	90	@	95
North River		@	90
N. C. Crop	75	@	80
HOOP IRON—℔ ℔	3	@	3½
CHEESE—℔ ℔—			
Northern Factory	13	@	13
Dairy Cream	12½	@	14
Half cream	10	@	12½
LARD, ℔ ℔—			
Northern	8	@	9½
North Carolina	9	@	10
LIME, ℔ barrel	1 15	@	1 25
LUMBER (city sawed) ℔ M ft—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	15 00	@	20 00
Rough edge Plank	15 00	@	18 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	15 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	22 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00	@	15 00
MOLASSES, ℔ gallon—			
Barbadoes, in hogshead		@	31
Barbadoes, in barrels		@	28
Porto Rico, in hogsheads	29	@	31
Porto Rico, in barrels	30	@	33
Sugar House, in hogsheads	12	@	14
Sugar House, in barrels	13	@	15
Syrup, in barrels	15	@	25
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut, 60d basis	2 35	@	2 45
PORK, ℔ barrel—			
City Mess		@	17 00
Rump		@	17 00
Prime		@	16 50
ROPE, ℔ ℔	11	@	12
SALT, ℔ sack, Alum		@	1 25
Liverpool	95	@	1 10
American	95	@	1 05
On 100 ℔ Sacks	50	@	60
SUGAR, ℔ ℔—Standard gran'd	5¾	@	6
Standard A	5¼	@	5¾
White Extra C		@	5
Extra C, Golden	4¾	@	5
C Yellow	4	@	4¾
SOAP, ℔ ℔—Northern	3½	@	4
STAVES, ℔ M—W. O. barrel	6 00	@	14 00
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ℔ M (sea)—Shipping	9 00	@	9 00
Common mill	4 00	@	5 00
Fair mill	5 00	@	6 00
Prime mill	6 50	@	7 50
Extra mill	8 00	@	8 50
SHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed ℔ M 5x24 heart	6 00	@	7 00
" Sap	5 50	@	6 00
5x20 Heart	3 50	@	4 00
" Sap	2 50	@	3 00
WHISKEY, ℔ gallon		@	1 10

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., August 28, 1901.

SCHOONERS.

Ida C Schoolcraft, 304 tons, Robinson, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Carrie A Bucknam, 296 tons, Moore, J T Riley & Co.

BARQUES.

Robert Scrafton, (Nor) 724 tons, Larsen, Heide & Co.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

[Quoted officially at the closing of the Produce Exchange.]

STAR OFFICE, August 27.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 33½c per gallon for machine made casks; nothing doing in country made casks.

ROSIN—Market firm at 95c per barrel for strained and $1.00 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market steady at $1.35 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market quiet at $1.00 per barrel for hard, $1.80 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin nothing doing; tar quiet at $1.40; crude turpentine dull at $1.20 @2.20.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	76
Rosin	510
Tar	207
Crude turpentine	70

Receipts same day last year—65 casks spirits turpentine, 54 bbls rosin, 44 bbls tar, 73 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market dull on a basis of 8c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	5 9-16	cts	℔ lb
Good ordinary	6 13-16	"	"
Low middling	7 9-16	"	"
Middling	8	"	"
Good middling	8 5-16	"	"

Same day last year middling nothing doing.

Receipts—11 bales; same day last year, 197.

Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 80c. Virginia—Prime, 50c; extra prime, 55c; fancy, 60c. Spanish, 75c.

CORN—Firm; 75 to 77c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13 to 14c per pound; shoulders, 11 to 12c; sides, 11 to 12c.

EGGS—Firm at 16@16½c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 22 to 25c; springs, 10@20c.

TURKEYS—Nothing doing.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Nothing doing.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Aug 27.—Money on call was steady at 2½@3 per cent.; the last loan 2½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at 486¾ for demand and 484½ for sixty days. Posted rates 485½ and 488. Commercial bills 483¾@484½. Bar silver 58¾. Mexican dollars 45¾. Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds weak. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 107¾; U. S. refu'g 2's, coupon, 107¾; U. S 3's, reg'd, —; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 108¼; do. coupon, 108¼; U. S. 4's, new reg'd, 137½; do. coupon, 137½; U. S. 4's, old reg'd, 113; do. coupon, 113; U. S. 5's, reg'd, 107½; do. coupon, 107¾; Southern Railway 5's 117¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 103¼; Chesapeake & Ohio 48¾; Manhattan L 119¾; N Y. Central 154½; Reading 43¾; do. 1st pref'd 76¾; do. 2nd pref'd 55; St. Paul 166½; do. pref'd, 189; Southern R'way 32½; do. pref'd 87¼; Amalgama'd Copper 118½; American Tobacco 135; People's Gas 112¾; Sugar 138½; T. C. & Iron 65; U. S. Leather 13½; do. pref'd, 82¼; Western Union 92½; U. S. Steel 44½; do preferred 94; Mexican National 11½. Standard Oil 775@778.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 25.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 28¾; do. preferred, 51¾. Bonds—4's 84.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Rosin quiet. Spirits turpentine quiet.

CHARLESTON, Aug. 27.—Spirits turpentine—Nothing doing; quotations omitted. Rosin firm and unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Aug. 27.—Spirits turpentine firm at 34c; receipts 1,809 casks; sales 651 casks; exports 232 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 5,854 barrels; sales 485 barrels; exports 3,456 barrels. Prices unchanged.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—The cotton market opened easy in tone, with prices three to seven points lower, under selling of long cotton by nervous room operators, brought out by unexpected weakness in Liverpool, where no change had been looked for. Following the call sentiment wavered and more cotton came on the market, causing a slight further decline. But as the regulation influences were of a bullish make up and as outside buying of an investment character soon came to light, the market slowly worked higher, rega

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A CLEVER SWINDLER

THE VALISE TRICK HE WORKED ON EXPRESS COMPANIES.

It Was Comparatively Easy For Him to Operate His Sharp Scheme, but He Tried It Once Too Often on the Same Expressman.

"There is no end of ways for beating the small expressman about town," said the man in the peaked cap. "I've had a good many clever tricks played on me in my 20 years' career as an expressman, but the smoothest chap that ever 'worked' me for a snap was J. Collins. I saw Collins just three times in my life. The first time was when I moved him from Forty-fourth street up to Ninetieth street. I was employed then by an express company whose place of business was in Eighth avenue, and when Collins came around to the office and said he wanted us to move a trunk and a box of books I was sent out to do the job.

"Collins was a little man with bulging blue eyes, a sandy mustache and a mole on his chin. He watched me like a hawk while I was carrying his things down stairs and loading them in the wagon. When I got ready to drive off, he said: 'Oh, by the way, I have an extra valise here I wish you'd put in with the other things if it isn't too much trouble. I'd carry it myself, but I'm not going straight up to the house, and I hate to be bothered with lugging it around all over town.'

"Now, it was against the rules of the company for the driver to haul anything for a customer not listed at the office. I told Collins so, but he didn't give a continental for laws and regulations.

"'Oh, pshaw!' he said. 'That'll be all right. Nobody need know anything about it but you and me. It'll be a great favor to me for you to take the grip, and I'll make it worth your while.'

"Clear up to the last minute my judgment argued that the course of wisdom was to persist in my first refusal, but Collins' insistence finally won the day, and I consented to take the grip. Collins went down to the street with me, and just before I mounted to the seat he pressed a half dollar into my hand as a sedative for my uneasy conscience. I drove direct from Forty-fourth street to Collins' new boarding house, but when I got there the grip was gone. Collins raised a terrible row about it. He maintained that it contained odds and ends of valuable bric-a-brac, and he threatened to bring suit against the company for $100. The company acted wonderfully white with me. Although they could be held in no wise guilty for a violation of their rules, they naturally disliked police court notoriety and finally compromised with Collins for $50, of which they generously paid one-half, thus letting me off with a punishment fee of only $25.

"Three months after that I left the Eighth street concern and went to work for a company up on Columbus avenue. One evening shortly after I was sent out to fill several orders that had come in late in the afternoon. I was half dead that night with toothache, and my companion, a good natured sort of fellow, did most of the work and attended to all of the details of the moving. So intense was my pain that I gave scarcely a thought to where we were or what we were doing until I heard my man snorting around and swearing like all possessed. Then I got up spunk enough to ask what was the matter.

"'Holy smoke,' he said, 'that grip is gone! That fellow up on Seventy-fifth street insisted upon my bringing a valise along with his trunk and boxes, paid me 50 cents extra for doing it, and now it's gone. I'm in a pretty fix, I am.'

"Instantly my tooth ceased to jump and my heart took up the tempestuous refrain. 'Was the man's name Collins?' I asked.

"'Yes,' said he. 'Did you see him? He was monkeying around between the house and the wagon all the time, but it was kind of dark, and you had your face all bundled up and seemed to be more dead than alive, and I didn't think you took any notice of him.'

"'I didn't,' said I, 'but I know how he looks.' Then I described Collins to a T. Sure enough, it was my old friend J. C. who had met with the loss, and again he got damages for bric-a-brac which had been packed in his grip. At that I began to get suspicious, and when I went into business for myself a few weeks later I resolved to keep an eye open for J. Collins. I hadn't been on this corner two weeks before I fell foul of Collins. He wanted to be moved again, this time to the depot. I deputed one of my men to transact business with him, and that night when the driver went over after his trunks I hovered around in the background and watched his movements. His trick was simple. He swiped his own grip, which was comparatively easy to do, considering he always had the expressman call late in the evening. I hurried over to the depot ahead of him to watch the entire proceeding. As usual he flew into a terrible rage when the driver reported that the grip was lost and demanded satisfaction then and there. Then I stepped up, and in less than five minutes J. Collins had become considerably wiser.

"'I ought to bring you into court,' said I, 'and make an example of you, for I don't doubt that there are other deadbeats working the express companies the same way, only they may not do it so frequently, but if you pay me what you soaked me and my friends for I'll let you off.'

"J. Collins was inclined to show fight at first, but he soon weakened. 'I haven't got the money here with me,' he said.

"'Then get it,' said I. 'You won't leave this town till you do.'

"He saw I was in earnest and dived down into his pockets and forked over the money."—New York Press.

Jews in the Roumanian Army.

No Jewish soldier in the Roumanian army can be promoted to a commission, however brave and loyal he may be. The saying is that as long as he is with the flag he is a soldier. When he ceases to be, he becomes a Jew again. Even if he enlists for a second term of service he does not, like others who do so, earn a pension thereby. An army surgeon, if he be a Jew, and the best surgeons in Roumania are Jews as a rule, only ranks as a common soldier, whereas his professional inferiors rank as officers. No Jews are admitted into the military schools, and, however high the scholastic or university distinctions and grades of a Jew, he has to serve as a "ranker" for three years, instead of being let off as a "volontairo" with one year's service. Such is the treatment accorded to the 30,000 Jews belonging to the active army and reserves of the Roumanian state.—National Review.

Patriotism Versus Pounds.

Uncle Silas Penniwise had never seen Boston harbor before. "This is the place, I suppose," he said, gazing out over its blue waters, crowded with shipping, "where our Revolutionary forefathers threw that tea overboard."

"Yes," responded his city nephew, his eye kindling. "I don't wonder it stirs you to the depths to look at the scene of that historic event. It marked an epoch in the world's history which no patriotic American can recall without a thrill of pride."

"Ye-es," replied Uncle Silas musingly. "I—I wonder how much the fellers lost who owned that tea."—Youth's Companion.

The Wisdom of Youth.

I told the boy the old fable of the sun and the wind—how the sun, shining steadfastly, had caused the wayfarer to take off his cloak, which thing the wind, though blustering its utmost, had quite failed to do.

"The fable," I said, "teaches the superior efficacy of gentle methods."

"But," said the boy, "perhaps it was the humidity and not the heat which led the wayfarer to lay aside his cloak?"—Detroit Journal.

Among the aborigines of Australia the most common form of punishment less than death is the spearing of the offender through different parts of the body.

MAN'S CRUCIAL HOUR.

A Woman on the Treatment of Husbands When They Get Home.

The crucial hour of the day as regards its effect upon the man of the family is commonly thought to be associated with breakfast. Then a cheerful bearing and a joyful demeanor on the part of the feminine kind of the family are thought to be most effective in putting the man of the house into the right sort of humor for the day. There are other views, however, on this subject, and one of them came from a woman whose experiences in her married life have been of a kind to encourage any wife.

She disagrees with the accepted view as to the potency of good humor in the morning. Her scheme is very different.

"The most important moment of the day to a man's peace of mind," she said, "is the ten minutes that follow his return from the work of the day. At that time one word may change his whole state of feeling.

"He comes home usually tired. Work or the vexations of business during the day have frequently brought him to a point of fatigue or nervousness at which a very little thing may decide what his mood will be for the rest of the evening. Of course the particular disposition of every man is going to tell here just as it does everything else. But my rule will hold good for the average man.

"The most important thing for the tactful woman to do is to wait until she sees some signs of his temper before she makes any decided move. Don't, above all things, tell him that the plumber has just sent in a terrible bill for making that little alteration or say that stupid Mrs. Jones has been at the house all the afternoon talking about the new house her husband has bought and showing off her sables as if she was the only woman in New York that had them.

"Generally it is best to avoid such beginnings, although a woman's tact must always be called in to help her out if one of the children has just been taken down with the measles or the cook has been drunk all day and had to be sent away.

"Don't talk too much in the beginning on any subject. Conversation taken torrentially at the outset is likely to upset anybody who is a little tired after a day's work and wants quiet before adjusting his mind to the restful enjoyment of home.

"The woman who follows this advice is going to find her evenings pleasanter than if she jumps at the beginning into the heart of things, especially disagreeable things. A little tact during the first quarter of an hour after the return home is worth all the early morning cheerfulness in the world when it comes to making the wheels move smoothly in the household."—New York Sun.

Word of Caution.

"Never propose to a girl by letter."

"Why not?"

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DAILY except Sunday 4.13 P. M. — No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 8.45 A. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

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DAILY 2.00 A. M. — No. 83—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.30 P. M., leave Fayetteville 12.35 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.45 P. M.

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DAILY 8.15 P. M. — No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston *7.00 P. M., New York *9.00 P. M., Philadelphia 12.05 A. M., Baltimore 2.55 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 7.00 A. M., Petersburg 9.40 A. M., Norfolk 2.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M., Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.25 P. M., Warsaw 4.05 P. M., Magnolia 4.40 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 9.25 A. M. — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12.00 night, New York 3.55 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., Baltimore 1.48 P. M., Washington 4.12 P. M., Richmond 6.57 P. M., Petersburg 7.45 P. M., *Norfolk 3.30 P. M., Weldon 9.10 P. M., *Tarboro 6.28 P. M., Rocky Mount 8.15 A. M., Leave Wilson 8.57 A. M., Goldsboro 6.45 A. M., Warsaw 7.30 A. M., Magnolia 7.53 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 9.25 A. M. — No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 12.35 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.25 P. M. — No. 84—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.00 A. M., Sanford 2.23 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.30 A. M., Charleston 6.45 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M., Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 5.00 P. M., Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.05 P. M., Florence 9.55 A. M., Marion 10.35 A. M., Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.12 A. M.

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DAILY 7.15 P. M. — No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 3.30 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 4.30 P. M., leave Fayetteville 4.50 P. M.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 6.10 A. M. Maxton 8.08 A. M., Red Springs 9.32 A. M., Parkton 10.06 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 11.10 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.45 P. M., Hope Mills 5.00 P. M., Red Springs 8.43 P. M., Maxton 6.16 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

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Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 9.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10.10 A. M., arrive Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 4.15 P. M., Halifax 5.40 P. M., arrive Scotland Neck 6.10 P. M., Greenville 8.47 P. M., Kinston 6.45 P. M. Returning, leave Kinston 7.30 A. M., Greenville 8.30 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.05 A. m., Weldon 11.50 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 A. M. and 6.45 P. M.; arrive Parmele 8.55 A. M. and 4.10 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 11.10 A. M. and 5. 2 P. M.; arrives Washington 12.30 A. M and 6.15 P. M. Daily except Sunday

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 4.35 P. M.; Sunday 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 6.35 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.30 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 9.35 A. M. and 11.05 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro daily except Sunday 8.10 A. M., arriving Smithfield 8.40 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.00 A. M., arrives at Goldsboro 8.25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount 5.05 P. M. 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.05 A. M. 4.08 P. M. Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M.; 5.30 P. M. arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M. 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 11.40 A. M. and 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 6.40 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.31 A. M., Dillon 10.54 A. M., Rowland 10.58 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.10 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.31 P. M. Latta 6.44 P. M. Pee Dee 7.05 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Conway 1.30 P. M.; returning leave Conway 2.40 P. M. arrive Chadbourn 4.20 P. M. leave Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Kirod 8.10 A. M., returning leave Kirod 8.40 A. M., arrive Chadbourn 11.05 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 5.08 P. M., Manning 5.43 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.28 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.37 A. M., Manning 9.17 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.50 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 8.40 A. M., *7.00 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 10 A. M., 8.30 P. M.; leave Georgetown 6.30 A. M., *4.15 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.00 A. M.; *8.35 P. M.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.40 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.18 A. M. Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.35 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 8.00 P. M.; arrive Darlington 8.36 P. M., Bennettsville 9.32 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.50 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.18 A. M.

Leave Gibson daily except sunday at 6.15 A. M. Bennettsville 7.18 A. M.; arrive Darlington 8.15 A. M. Leave Darlington 8.52 A. M.; arrive Florence 9.18 A. M. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 4.10 P. M., Cheraw 5.15 P. M., Hartsville 7.25 A. M., Darlington 8.20 P. M.; arrive Florence 7.00 P. M. Leave Darlington 8.50 A. M., arrive Florence 9.18 A. M.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.50 P. M., 10.40 P. M. arrive Selma 3.40 P. M. 11.15 P. M. Smithfield 4.00 P. M. Dunn 4.40 P. M. Fayetteville 4.55 P. M., 12.32 A. M. Rowland 6.05 P. M. returning leave Rowland 10.53 A. M. Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., 10.02 P. M. Dunn 1.04 P. M. Smithfield 1.43 P. M. Selma 1.57 P. M., 11.50 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M. 12.13 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.02 A. M., Creston 4.51 A. M., arrive Denmark 5.48 A. M. Returning leave Denmark 4.20 P. M., Creston 5.15 P. M. Sumter 5.00 P. M. Daily.

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Arrive	Leave		Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.	Goldsboro	A. M.	A. M.
.....	4 22	Kinston	10 15	.....
5 46	5 50	Newbern	8 37	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 22	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 28.

WEATHER AND THE CROPS.

Improvement in Condition of Late Corn. Cotton Backward and in Poor Condition in Texas

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, August 27.—The Bureau's weekly summary of crop conditions is as follows:

The weather conditions of the week ending August 26th, 1901, have been generally favorable, except in the Middle and South Atlantic and East Gulf States and Tennessee, where in nearly all these sections heavy rains have damaged crops and interfered with work, and in some districts washed lands and caused inundations. Drought conditions still prevail in portions of Iowa, Oklahoma and Texas; in the last named State becoming serious in localities.

Continued improvement in the condition of late corn is generally reported from the principal corn growing States. In the States of the Ohio valley, the prospects for late corn are decidedly improved; in some sections fields previously reported beyond recovery will be reclaimed and the indications are that the prospective yield will be largely increased.

The weather of the past week has been generally unfavorable for cotton. Complaints of shedding and rusting are general throughout the entire cotton belt, except in Missouri and Oklahoma, but in Oklahoma the crop has been somewhat damaged by hot dry weather; some favorable reports, are, however, received from Tennessee, Arkansas and Louisiana. Cotton is backward and in poor condition in Texas, although the late has improved where rain fell; it is opening quite rapidly in portions of Georgia and Alabama, and picking is in progress in those States as well as in many localities in the western portion of the cotton region.

WRECK ON THE SOUTHERN.

Passenger Train in a Washout Near Danville, Virginia—A Number of People Injured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DANVILLE, VA., August 27.—A passenger train on the Southern Railroad ran into a washout ten miles from this city about 3 o'clock this morning, injuring a number of people, but none seriously. The washout was caused by a little creek which had become swollen from a heavy rain Monday night. The engine and baggage car passed safely over the stream and not until the day coaches reached it did it give way. The injured were brought to this city and cared for at the home for the sick. The list includes Congressman Peter J. Otey, of Lynchburg; Hon. B. A. Davis, Mamie Davis, Arthur C Menius, Salisbury, N. C.; Mrs. J. T. Kirk, Claremont, Va.; Conductor Geo. H. Coble, of Richmond; Miss Kate Beard, of Richmond; Mrs. Lucy D. Caudle, of Petersburg, and Mr. Barclay Hamlin, of Danville.

Upon inquiry at the hospital to-night it was learned that all the injured except Mr. and Mrs. Davis had left for their homes.

S. A. L. ENGINEERS.

Meeting at Norfolk, Va.—A Conference With Officials.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NORFOLK, VA., Aug. 27.—The committee of ten engineers of the Seaboard Air Line which is here and which has been in conference with some of the Seaboard Air Line officials, are carefully guarding the object of their visit. It is not thought that the question of wages is being discussed, but rather that the meeting was brought about by the circular order which requires engineers residing in Raleigh to remove to Hamlet, N. C., after the first of September, on account of the moving of shops and certain headquarters from Raleigh to Hamlet and Portsmouth. The rearrangement of runs for the engineers will also probably come under discussion. General Manager and First Vice President James M. Barr of the Seaboard Air Line is not in the city and the committee has been unable to wait upon him.

DROWNING ACCIDENT.

Four Persons Lost Their Lives at Rutherfordton Monday Night.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RUTHERFORDTON, N. C., Aug. 27.—William Mills, fifty years old, his daughter-in-law, thirty years of age, and her two nine and eleven year old boys, were drowned in a small stream in this town last night at 9 o'clock. Mr. Mills attempted to cross a swift branch which was about four feet deep when the wagon struck a log, turning it over. He carried the two youngest children, a boy and a girl, three and four years old, to a fence nearby and went back to get his daughter-in-law and two other children, when they were all drowned. The bodies of the old gentleman and daughter were recovered to-day. The bodies of the two boys have not been found.

SEVERE ELECTRICAL STORM.

Boy Killed by Lightning—Churches and Other Buildings Damaged.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TEXARKANA, ARK., Aug. 27.—Texarkana was visited by a most severe electrical and rain storm to-day. Professor Casby's son was struck by lightning and killed, his neck being broken. He was under an umbrella with a companion, who also was badly shocked. Two colored churches were struck and badly damaged. One residence was destroyed and others badly damaged.

Editor's Awful Plight.

F. M. Higgins, editor of the Seneca (Ill.) *News*, was afflicted for years with piles that no doctor or remedy helped until he tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve. He writes that two boxes wholly cured him. It's the surest Pile Cure on earth and the Best Salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cents. Sold by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

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DEVELOPMENT IN THE STEEL STRIKE

Official Statement Denies That Negotiations Are On Foot to End the Trouble.

EXCITEMENT AT IRONDALE.

American Tin Plate Company Compelled to Close Its Plant—Street Fights Come Thick and Fast—Magistrates Refused to Issue Warrants.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PITTSBURG, PA., Aug. 27.—Practically the only significant event in the strike to day was the positive stand taken by the American Tin Plate Company in reference to its course in the future. An official statement from this company to-day denies that there are any negotiations on foot looking to a settlement of the strike, and authorizes the statement that mills put in operation during the strike will be continued non-union, and all men going to work now will be retained in their positions. This statement will have its effect, because of the fact that the tin plate trade has always been considered as among the strongholds of the Amalgamated Association, and the difficult appears to have been brought about by the association declaring a strike against the Tin Plate Company after the scale for the year had been signed. Notwithstanding the fact that the Amalgamated people claim justification, on the ground that their constitution provides for such procedure, the officials of the Tin Plate Company consider the action a breach of trust, and say that henceforth they are determined to cut loose from union labor entirely.

The Efforts for Peace.

President Shaffer to-day reiterated his positive statement that all efforts for peace that were being made by the Civic Federation were without authority from him. He said that if official overtures were made by the combine they would be considered, but that was all. He denied that he knew of any move that was being made in New York except what he had seen in the papers. Other officials of the Amalgamated Association said to-day that there was no change in the strike. Everything was quiet and the men were satisfied with the way things were going.

The one place within the district where the strikers have scored a victory is at Irondale, O. At this place the American Tin Plate Company was compelled to close down its recently opened plant for lack of men to operate it.

A Day of Excitement.

The day was full of excitement in the little village, and street fights came thick and fast for a time until the inhabitants were wrought into a state of excitement bordering on terror. The first fight of the morning took place when five non-union men left their homes and started for work in the mill. On the main street of the village they were met by a party of about thirty strikers, who by moral suasion tried to get them to desist from their determination to go to work. When this failed a stronger argument was used and the men were giving a drubbing and driven back to their homes. The village had scarcely recovered from the surprise which this attack occasioned when word was passed around that a party of new men were driving over land from Wellsville.

Almost all the strikers at once started to meet the carriage and when they passed the mill office Ira Householder, a non-union man, shouted at them. This action precipitated a fight. Manager Banfield saved Householder by dragging him inside and shutting the door with difficulty. The Tin Plate Company then attempted to file information before Justice Paisley, charging the strikers with riot, but the justice refused to entertain the charge, saying he would issue warrants for those mixed in the fights, charging assault, but no more serious offence. The attorney then began the preparation of papers to ask for an injunction restraining the strikers from interfering with the non-unionists in any way.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—No overtures for peace have come to the United States Steel Corporation from the strikers through any of the intermediaries named in their Pittsburg dispatches, and it was stated at the office of the company to day that none was expected. J. Piermont Morgan returned to the city to-day, but it was said that his return had nothing to do with the steel strike or its settlement. An official of the United States Steel Corporation made the following statement:

"The reports that there are negotiations for a settlement of the steel strike in progress are erroneous. The United States Steel Corporation has received no proposals for the settlement and has made none. Many of our men are returning to work and many others are desirous of resuming their places. The strike can only be settled by the return of the men to their places."

BOERS STILL ACTIVE.

British Convoy Attacked—Lost Nine Men Killed and Twenty-three Wounded.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, August 27.—Lord Kitchener, in a dispatch from Pretoria to-day, says:

"A convoy on its way from Kimberly to Griquatown, was attacked near Rooikopje. The attack was driven off by Captain Humby's escort of the Seventy-fourth Imperial yeomanry, who lost nine men killed and had twenty-three men wounded. The convoy was brought in safely. Rawlinson caught eighteen Transvaalers after a forty-minute gallop in the open, east of Edenburg."

LONDON, Aug. 28.—"It is reported here," says a dispatch from Cape Town to the *Daily Express*, "that a portion of Scheeper's commando is close to Mossel bay, midway between Cape Town and Port Elizabeth."

VICE PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

Is Due in Chicago Friday On His Western Trip.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Vice President Roosevelt will begin his Western trip Thursday. He is due in Chicago Friday, and is scheduled to leave the same day for Springfield, Ill., there to be the guest of Governor Yates and review the militia in the State camps. The Vice President will reach Chicago on the return trip Saturday morning and remain at the auditorium annex until Sunday afternoon, when he will leave for Minneapolis, where he will speak on September 2d and 3d. From there he goes direct to Burlington, Vermont.

DISPUTE BETWEEN FRANCE AND TURKEY.

French Ambassador Left Constantinople. Diplomatic Relations Severed---Munir Bey Not to Return to Paris.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

PARIS, Aug. 27.—A semi-official notice has been issued announcing that the Porte, not having carried out its undertakings with regard to the disputed questions between the French and Ottoman governments, M. Constans, the French ambassador, acting under instructions from the foreign minister of France, left Constantinople August 28th, the date named in his last communication to the Porte on the subject.

An arrangement had been effected August 17th and its terms drafted by the Ottoman foreign minister, with the approval of the Sultan, who had promised M. Constans that the text should be handed to him August 18th.

M. Constans telegraphed to Paris August 19th that none of the promises had been fulfilled; and M. Del Casse, minister of foreign affairs, August 21st telegraphed M. Constans that in view of so flagrant a disregard of the undertakings, the negotiations could no longer be continued and requested M. Constans to inform the Porte that he had received orders to leave Constantinople.

On August 23 M. Constans communicated with the Porte, fixing August 26th as the date for his departure, and as the engagements were still unkept, M. Constans left Constantinople on August 26th.

With the departure of M. Constans the relations between France and Turkey may be regarded as broken off. Munir Bey, the Turkish ambassador to France, has been telegraphed not to return to Paris.

SCHLEY COURT OF INQUIRY.

Name of Rear Admiral Sampson Heads the List of Witnesses Furnished by the Navy Department.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The Navy Department to-day, through Capt. Lemly, the judge advocate of the court of inquiry, supplied counsel for Admiral Schley with a tentative list of witnesses to be called before the court by the government. It is understood that it contains and in fact is headed by the name of Rear Admiral Sampson. It is stated that the list is by no means complete. Some of the witnesses named may not be called, while on the other hand not only may the government add to the list but Admiral Schley's counsel are at liberty to suggest additional names. The list of witnesses prepared by Judge Advocate Lemly and transmitted to Admiral Schley will be made public to-morrow.

Some time ago Admiral Schley, in sending his list of witnesses to the department, included a request for all the officers of the Brooklyn. The department replied that a number of the officers of the Brooklyn would be on the list prepared by the department, and asked him to name specifically the Brooklyn's officers he desired. The admiral responded to day, through Captain Parker, of his counsel. He gave the names of the principal officers of the Brooklyn, and also of several petty officers, including the quartermasters, who were at the wheel during the action off Santiago.

Schley's Counsel.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 27.—The *Record* to-morrow will say that Albert H. O'Brien, a prominent member of the Philadelphia bar, has been called in as associate counsel for Rear Admiral Schley in the coming investigation at Washington. Last Thursday Mr. O'Brien was in Washington in consultation with Schley's counsel and materially assisted them in the preparation of the brief for the court of inquiry.

During the late sixties he occupied the post of judge advocate of the West Indian fleet and in 1869 was stationed at Annapolis where Schley was lieutenant commander. A warm friendship developed there between the two men. Mr. O'Brien resigned from the navy in 1875 and took up the practice of law in Philadelphia.

THE CUP CHALLENGER.

Shamrock II. Given a Long Spin—Yachting Experts Call Her a Wonderful Boat.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Shamrock II. was given a good long spin to-day, both inside and outside the Hook. She was tried in windward work and broad and close reaching. In fact, the challenger was given everything except a spinnaker run in a breeze that sometimes piped up to twelve knots, and at no time was under eight knots. The good opinion of her speed, merits and ability to carry lofty canvas was emphasized. Many yachting experts who saw her performance call her a wonderful boat. All say she is the most dangerous proposition that has ever come over the waters hunting for the American cup. She had life in her every minute. She gathers way with remarkable rapidity, is quick in stays, points very high and stands up under a tremendous spread of canvas like the proverbial steeple. With all this, she is a very beautiful boat under sail, and taken altogether is a decided improvement over the old Shamrock.

Sir Thomas Lipton was on board during the entire trial and when seen at Sandy Hook, after the racer picked up her moorings, seemed much pleased with her showing.

U. S. CHINESE INSPECTOR.

B. A. Jossey Accidentally Killed Himself at Tucson, Arizona.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TUCSON, ARIZ., August 27.—B. F. Jossey, United States Chinese inspector here, was accidentally killed to-day. He was investigating a disturbance in his chicken house when he apparently fell from a ladder and was killed by the premature discharge of his shotgun. The fact that he was accused of complicity in the Chinese smuggling at Nogales aroused suspicions of suicide, but these were absolutely dispelled by the evidence brought out at the inquest.

Jossey came here from Americus, Ga., and was appointed by President Cleveland.

ISTHMIAN AFFAIRS.

U. S. Gunboat Machias Will Probably Go to Boca Del Toro.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

COLON, COLOMBIA, August 27.—Isthmian affairs continue quiet. The United States gunboat Machias will probably go to Boca del Toro at the end of the week if favorable news for the government is not received from that point. It is expected that the French cruiser Suchet will sail in a few days.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR GRAND PARADE.

Thirty Thousand Sir Knights in Full Uniform Were in the Line.

AN IMPOSING SPECTACLE.

Three Hundred Thousand People Witnessed the Parade—Telegram From Admiral Schley — His Name Elicited Applause.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Aug. 27.—It is estimated that three hundred thousand people to day witnessed the parade of the Knights Templar. Thirty thousand Sir Knights in full uniform were in line, forming an imposing spectacle with which to begin the twenty-eighth triennial conclave. The march started at 9:40 A. M. and was finished at 1:30 P. M., after covering a distance of four miles. The course was protected by wires strung along the sidewalks to keep spectators in check. This innovation in handling holiday crowds was considered highly successful, although a few adventurous spirits dodged under the wire at various points along the route when the police were not watching. The weather early was clear and cool, but by noon the heat became somewhat oppressive and there were eleven cases of prostration due to heat and exhaustion. Sir Knight Barnard, of Greenville, Ind., was overcome while marching. His condition to-night was reported serious. A portion of the Y. M. C. A. reviewing stand at Fourth street and Broadway collapsed. Half a dozen people sustained bruises and Mrs. Jas. Carnahan, of Washington, suffered a broken ankle.

The crack commanderies from Pittsburg, Chicago and San Francisco attracted special attention by their magnificent appearance. Columbia Commandery No. 2, of Washington, came in for wild applause all along the route, as Sir Knight Rear Admiral Schley is a member of it and had been expected to march with his comrades. Although he was absent, at every point in the course when the Washington men appeared the crowd took up the cry, "Schley! Schley! Hurrah for Schley!" The following telegram was received from Admiral Schley:

"May fair weather and bright skies favor the grand ceremonies this week. My disappointment no words can describe, but my heart is with you. (Signed) W. S. SCHLEY."

Later, when the formal welcome to the Knights was extended by Judge Barker, of Louisville, Ky., Acting for Governor Beckham, and former Congressman W. C. P. Breckenridge, the mention of Schley's name elicited applause so enthusiastic that both speakers were compelled to stop for several minutes.

Colonel Breckenridge delivered the chief address at this function.

Grand Master Lloyd responded briefly. The key to the city was presented to him by Mayor Weaver. It was so late when the programme was completed that there was little time for the actual business of the grand encampment. Grand Recorder Mayo discovering that there was a quorum present, spread the fact on the record, and a recess was taken until 9:30 a. m. to-morrow.

Fireworks, excursions on the river and other diversions occupied the time of the visitors to-night. Several of the commanderies held receptions, among them being Pittsburg No. 1, Wheeling No. 1, of Wheeling, W. Va., and the grand commandery of New Hampshire.

A large audience was entertained to-night at the horse show building by a programme designed to show how the Southern darkey enjoys himself. There was a camp-meeting spectacle, a cake walk, and old-time melodies by a chorus of two hundred people. The entertainment was arranged by Col. William S. Hays, a veteran river man.

STORM IN ALABAMA.

Considerable Damage to Property in the Eufaula District.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

EUFAULA, ALA., Aug. 25.—A heavy wind and rain storm swept over this city and section this afternoon. The storm came from a northeasterly direction and lasted nearly an hour. A high wind prevailed and the rain fell in torrents. A bolt of lightning struck a building under construction and did considerable damage. Trees were up rooted and many fences were blown down. The damage to crops will be heavy.

The storm was worst at Clayton, Ala. A drug store was flooded and the entire block almost ruined.

Ideal Trip to California.

On account of the general convention of the Episcopal church, which will assemble in San Francisco, Cal., on October 3d, widespread interest has been created in regard to a visit to the Pacific Coast, for which a rare opportunity has been provided by the generous offer of the Seaboard Air Line Railway to those who wish to avail themselves of the opportunity.

The tickets will be placed on sale in North Carolina on the 18th day of September, for $65.23 for the round trip, with the privilege of going via one route and returning via another. Tourist Sleeper will be placed in Raleigh provided requisite number of passengers—eighteen—can be secured. The price for double berth from Raleigh to Denver, Colorado, will be $5.00. Car will pass over the Seaboard Air Line Railway to Atlanta, Georgia, thence to Chattanooga, Nashville and St. Louis, Mo., and over the Birlington route to Denver. From Denver the party will proceed via the Denver and Rio Grande Railway through to famous "Scenic Route" of Colorado to Salt Lake City, and through the cordial invitation of Bishop Leonard they will spend Sunday there. The sleeper will be resumed at Ogden, making total cost for Pullman accommodations about $7.00 from Raleigh and points in North Carolina to San Francisco.

The advantage of this route will be evident to all, when it is remembered the journey westward will be made through the Rocky Mountains while the weather is warm in the South and the return journey will be made through the South when the weather is wintry in the mountains. It is to be thoroughly understood that persons accompanying this party can return home via any regular ticketing route they may desire.

Further particulars in regard to additional expenses while en route and facilities for entertainment while in San Francisco can be had on application to Rev. Dr. I. McK. Pittenger, Raleigh, N. C. For schedules, rates, and etc., write or apply to

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THREE MEN LOST THEIR LIVES

Drowned in Oil at the Beaumont Gusher. Well is Still Throwing a Stream Seventy Feet High.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BEAUMONT, TEXAS, Aug. 27.—The Palestine Beaumont well is still throwing a stream of petroleum as high as the top of the seventy foot derrick and it has added the life of another man to its achievements of destruction, making a total of three fatalities. James Smith and John McDaniel were drowned in oil last night, but their fate was unheeded by Peter Gallagher and two companions. About 2 o'clock this morning Gallagher was drowned. Gallagher's companions were dragged out and were finally restored to consciousness.

F. W. Chase, an expert submarine diver, came in from Galveston to-day. He found no difficulty in staying in the spray while encased in his diving suit, but he had to work slowly.

At 7 o'clock this evening the pipe had been raised sufficiently to permit the unscrewing of a joint. This will be done early in the morning, and it is believed that the well will then be closed without difficulty.

A contract was closed to day between the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railroad Company and a fuel company of this city for Beaumont fuel oil. Under the contract the Santa Fe railroad agrees to take from the fuel company a minimum of 9,000,000 barrels of oil during the next twelve months.

COLOMBIA AND VENEZUELA.

The Chances of a War Between the Two Countries Grow More Distant Every Day—Revolutionists Defeated.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, August 27.—Official mail advices received at the Colombian legation here to-day tend to show, it is stated, that the chances of a war between Colombia and Venezuela grow more distant every day. The mail contained information to the effect that both the Nicaraguan and Equadoran governments have given the Colombian government the fullest assurances that they will remain strictly neutral with regard to the strained relations between Colombia and Venezuela.

The mail also brought the details of the complete defeat of a band of 2,500 Colombian revolutionists under General Marin at the town of Anapoyma, by the government forces. The insurgents had previously occupied the town of Giradot, on the Magdalena river, which is small, but important as being a railroad terminus.

It is stated that 1,000 Colombian troops are guarding the border in command of General Gonzales Valencia, who was formerly minister of war in the Colombia cabinet.

SAVED FROM THE MOB.

Crowd Surrounds the County Jail at Fort Smith, Ark., But the Negro Has Been Spirited Away.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Aug. 27.—A mob of about one hundred remained in the vicinity of the Federal jail at Fort Smith until this morning, determined to lynch Lewis Smith, the negro who assaulted the daughter of a 'Frisco road employe. The mob was without a leader and dispersed after making loud threats against the prisoner.

DALLAS, TEXAS., Aug. 27.—This afternoon Sheriff C. B. Garrett, of Fort Smith, said over the long distance 'phone:

"There has been a comparatively quiet situation here to-day. It is impossible, however, to forecast what may happen this afternoon or to-night. Lewis Smith, whom the mob wanted to lynch last night, is still in the United States jail, but he is to be taken before the State court this afternoon for a preliminary trial. Lucy Watson, the white girl, to-day identified Smith positively as the negro who attempted to outrage her. There is a strong feeling among the people. The city and county authorities will do all they can to protect the prisoner."

FORT SMITH, ARK., Aug. 27.—A crowd surrounds the county jail here to-night, seeking to lynch Louis Smith, who was saved from the fury of a mob last night by the father of seven-year-old Lucy Watson, whom, it is charged, Smith attempted to assault. Sheriff Harrel took the negro to Little Rock to-day, but the crowd refused to disperse, believing that Smith is still in the Fort Smith jail.

NEGRO DESPERADO

Killed in a Fight With a Sheriff's Posse Near Elba, Alabama.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ELBA, ALA., August 27.—George McLeod, a negro wanted in Henry county on two criminal charges, was killed here this afternoon by a sheriff's posse. Sheriff Knight, accompanied by two deputies, and John Cole, a negro, went to arrest McLeod. On arrival at the house which held the criminal, McLeod ran out with a pistol and a Winchester and opened fire on the officers. At close range a shot struck the negro Cole, and he will probably die. After exhausting their ammunition, the negro made his escape. A larger posse was organized and bloodhounds being secured McLeod was soon located a mile from town in a mill pond, up to his neck in water. As he was raising his Winchester to fire on the posse, several shots were fired at his head, killing him instantly.

SOUTH CAROLINA MILLS.

Officials of the Union at Columbia Say a Strike is Inevitable.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Aug. 27.—Textile Union 211 was in session for several hours to-night and was addressed by members of the executive committee. Many additions were made to the membership. A committee was appointed to look for houses for the five-hundred operatives who have been suspended. The operatives declared that they have been shut out and that in so doing the fight has been forced on them. The operatives still in the mills were not required to renounce the union to-day as the president said yesterday they would be. This has postponed the crisis.

Officials of the union say a strike cannot be averted, as the members are determined to stand by the union.

The schooner Ida E. Cowly, from Baltimore for Fairport, Va., collided with the steamer Endeavor and sank off Sandy Point. Her crew of five men were rescued and landed at Queenstown, Md.

UNITED MINE WORKERS.

Convention at Hazleton of Representatives From Every Mine in the Anthracite Coal Region.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

HAZELTON, PA., Aug. 27.—A convention of representatives of the United Mine Workers from every mine in the anthracite coal region began here to day and is expected to continue three or four days. Matters of exceptional importance are to come before the convention, one being the question of the right of United Mine Workers' officials or representatives to go upon the property of the various companies to examine the cards of miners, a privilege which has been so far denied by the officials of many mines.

While expressing themselves generally as entertaining no apprehension of trouble over the outcome of the convention, the anthracite officials are nevertheless somewhat anxious, and it would cause them no surprise if the convention were to take some steps whereby the present output of anthracite would be curtailed so as to prevent an accumulation of coal and place the miners in a stronger position to meet the issues that are likely to present themselves next April, when the existing one year's contract between the mine owners and employes expires.

CHINESE PROTOCOL.

Ministers at Pekin Requested to Fix a Date for the Signing.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—Li Hung Chang has notified the ministers of the Powers that the Chinese plenipotentiaries are now authorized to sign the protocol," says a dispatch to the *Times* from Pekin, dated yesterday, "and has requested them to fix a date for the signing.

"An edict concerning the importation of arms was circulated among the ministers to day. Two other edicts are still required to complete the protocol."

BERLIN, Aug. 27.—The *Cologne Volks Zeitung* reports the massacre of six Christians at Ku Ja, China.

WARM WIRELETS.

The first bale of North Carolina cotton was sold at Morven, N. C., yesterday at 9½ cents.

Raymond Ross, colored, was legally hanged at Canton, Ga., yesterday for assaulting a white woman.

The Bank of Fentress county, located at Jamestown, Tenn., closed its doors yesterday. Liabilities, $40,000; assets, $98,000.

The Ranger sailed yesterday from Acapulco for Panama to watch over American interests there during the revolutionary troubles.

General Fabius J. Mead, a veteran of the civil war and the friend of Grant, Logan and McClellan, died last night in Chicago of consumption. General Mead was bornin Raleigh, N. C., in 1839.

The eleventh annual convention of the colored Knights of Pythias opened in Chicago, with delegates present from all parts of the United States, South and Central America, Australia and the Hawaiian islands. Consideration of credentials and other preliminary matters occupied most of the day's session.

The torpedo boat destroyer Bainbridge was launched yesterday at Nelle and Levy's shipyard, Philadelphia. The little war vessel was christened by Miss Louise Adele Bainbridge Hoff, daughter of Captain Bainbridge H. F. Hoff and grand-daughter of Commodore Bainbridge.

The Spanish bark Jaime Mir, which left Savannah July 19th, arrived at Vigo, Spain, her destination, and reports having been in collision with the British schooner Muriel Winter which immediately foundered, drowning one member of her crew. The remainder of the Winter's crew was landed safely. The Jamie Mir has her bow damaged and is leaking slightly.

Pipkin's Next Excursion

Will be from Goldsboro to Norfolk, Washington and Buffalo September 4th, 1901. This will be a nine-day trip, and the fare from Goldsboro to Buffalo and return will be only $19.00. For full particulars, route, etc., write to R. E. PIPKIN, Manager, Goldsboro, N. C. †

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